

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Shirota, Yasuyuki
National Phase Application for International Application No. PCT/JP03/03944, filed
March 28, 2003, entitled **DRUGS INCLUDING ANTICANCER AGENTS AND
IMMUNOPOTENTIATORS AND HEALTH FOOD AND DRINKS**

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

The following is a Preliminary Amendment for a National Phase Application for International Application No. PCT/JP03/03944. Please enter the following amendments prior to calculating the filing fees. If any fees in addition to those accompanying the attached application are required, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge them to Deposit Account 50-1732 and consider this a petition therefor.

In the Title:

Please change the title to:

“DRUGS AND HEALTH FOODS INCLUDING IMMUNOPOTENTIATORS”

In the Specification:

Please add the following paragraph as the first paragraph of the specification:

--“This application is a National Phase application for International Application No. PCT/JP03/03944, filed March 28, 2003, which claims priority to Japanese application 2002-95590 filed March 29, 2002, the disclosures of which are incorporated herein by reference in their entireties.”--

Please amend the paragraph beginning on page 1 at line 6 as follows:

“The present invention relates to drugs and health foods including ~~anticancer~~
~~agents and immunopotentiators for inhibiting and preventing cancer and~~ for enhancing
immune system, comprising a fruit of the genus Malus such as apple (Malus domestica)